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REMARKS

The applicant respectfully requests reconsideration in view of the amendment and the following remarks. The applicant has corrected obvious typographical errors with respect to the specification and claims. The applicant has inserted the section from MPEP 1451 related to divisional reissue applications. With respect to the specification, the applicant has deleted the erroneous bracket “[“ that appeared at the beginning of the following species (4- η^5 -cyclopentadienyl-4,7,7-trimethyl-(η^5 -4,5,6,7-tetrahydroindenyl)Zr⁺ CH₂ CHCHCH₂ B⁻ (C₆ F₅)₃). In addition, the applicant has added the connector word “and” prior to the last species. These changes are obvious clerical changes and the applicant believes that these changes do not require another reissue declaration.

With respect to claim 16 the applicant deleted the superfluous words “an unsubstituted or”. This is a clear clerical error. These words should never have appeared in the claim. These words do not further limit anything. With respect to claims 18 and 19 a bracket “[“ was at the beginning of the following species (4- η^5 -cyclopentadienyl-4,7,7-trimethyl-(η^5 -4,5,6,7-tetrahydroindenyl)Zr⁺ CH₂ CHCHCH₂ B⁻ (C₆ F₅)₃) The applicant deleted this superfluous bracket. All of these errors are obvious clerical errors that appeared in the issued claims and the applicant believes that these changes do not require another reissue declaration.

The applicant has also enclosed an application data sheet which indicates the inventor's citizenship. It is noted that in the supplemental declaration filed February 12, 2004 that symbols in the declaration did not convert correctly when it was printed by the applicant. For example, the apostrophe “ ’ ” appeared as an equal sign “=” (see paragraph no.5 at page 1 (I'm) and the bottom of page 3 (inventor's post office address)).

No additional fees are due. If there are any additional fees due in connection with the filing of

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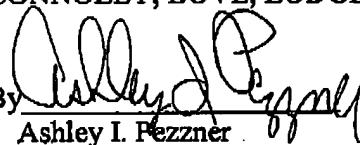
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this response, including any fees required for an additional extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136, such an extension is requested and the Commissioner is authorized to charge or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 03-2775.

A prompt and favorable action is solicited. The applicants believe that these claims are in condition for allowance, however, if the Examiner disagrees, the applicants respectfully request that the Examiner telephone the undersigned at (302) 888-6270.

Respectfully submitted,

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